GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1894
ANSWERED ON:29.11.2007
DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM INFRASTUCTURE IN STATES
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has sanctioned aid/funds for 27 projects in the first four months of this financial year to develop infrastructure in States to promote tourism;

(b) if so, the States that have been granted this aid; and

(c) the place which are being/ to be developed in these States?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SMT. AMBIKA SONI)

(a) to (c): During the current financial year 2007-08, the Ministry of Tourism has released Rs. 294.50 crore for 126 projects (upto October 2007) to State Governments

The details of the funds released for the projects to the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations is given in Annexure.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1894 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.11.2007 REGARDING DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE IN STATES

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PROJECTS SANCTIONED BY THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM TO STATE GOVERNMENTs/UNION TERRITORY ADMINISTRATIONs DURING 2007-08

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Released Amount
	Andhra Pradesh	
1.	Development of Kolleru Lake in West Godavari Dist.	358.09
2.	Horsely Hills in Chittoor District, A.P.	207.82
	Total	565.91
	Chhatisgarh	
1.	Destination development of Ratanpur	199.65
2.	Destination development of Doongargarh	253.58
3.	Tourist circuit on Raipur-Mukthangan-Champaran-Kodar in Chhattisgarh	532.40
4.	odh rural tourism project	33.64
	Total	1019.27
	Gujarat	
1.	Wildlife interpretation park, Amreli	379.00
2.	Nagershwar rural tourism project	40.00
	Total	419.00

Karnataka

1. Bijapur Bidar Gulbarg Circuit 512.78
Total 512.78

Kerala

1. Development of Wayanad in Kerala 161.38
2. Kodungallur Heritage Circuit 289.40
3. Pathiramanal Bio Park 400.00
Total 850.78

Madhya Pradesh

1. Destination Development of Salkanpur 341.24
2. Madhya Pradesh Tourism Day 8.00
3. Destination development of Shivpuri 237.76
4. Destination development of Sanchi 370.04
5. Destination Development of Orchha 86.00
6. Destination development of Tamia 268.54
7 Gwalior Festival, Oct.,07 8.00
8. Ujjain Destination Development 378.67
9. Rural tourism as village Devpur 32.27
Total 1730.52

Maharashtra

1. Art & Craft village at Goregaon film city 309.21
2. Chikaldhara and Kalidas Festivals 8.00
3. Ellora festival 8.00
Total 325.21

Pondicherry

1. Beautification of Beach Promenade 400.00
2. Revitalization of Gandhi Thidal and Craft Bazar, Pondicherry 213.60
3. Development of Walkway along the bank of Arasalar and Vanjiiar in 382.51
Karaikal, Puducherry
4. Yoga Festival (4-7 Jan, 2008) 4.00
5. Karaikal Carnival (2nd week of Jan. 2008) 12.00
Total 1012.11

Tamil Nadu

1. Destination development of Chettinad 380.28
2. Development of Srirangam Tamilnadu 298.16
3. Development of Marina beach in Tamilnadu 394.21
4. Circuit (Udhyamandalam- Madumalai- Anaimalai, Tamil Nadu 351.60
5. Development of Vallore fort area 71.46
6. Mamallapuram Dance festival,2008 12.00
7. National Cultural Festival, Kannyakumari 4.00
Total 1511.71

BIHAR

1. Development of Vishnupad Temple 257.44
2. Development of Revelganj, Chhapra 371.21

3. Additional CFA for Construction of Huen Tsang Gram, Nav Nalanda, Bihar 408.93
Total 1037.58

Jharkhand

1. Amadubi rural tourism project 39.95
2. Deoridh rural tourism project 39.95
Total 79.90

DELHI

1. Development of Kanganheri Water Sports Tourism Project, Delhi 238.30
2. Development of Chhawla Water Sports Tourism Project, Delhi 332.97
3. Garden tourism festival 4.00
4. Qutub festival 4.00
Total 579.27

Haryana

1. Suraj Kund as a Tourist Destination 183.62
2. Development of Eco-Tourism in Morni-Pinjoire Hills and Sultanpur National Park 263.20
3. Development of Eco-Tourism in Kalesar 255.20
4. Development of Dharuhera Tourist Complex 288.52
5. Development of Hodel Tourist Complex 292.01
6. Mango festival Pinjore 4.00
7. Gita Jayanti Utsav 4.00
8. Heritage festival, Pinjore 8.00

Total 1298.55

Himachal Pradesh

1. Development of Sihunta-Samote-Jot in Himachal Pradesh as a Tourist Destination 284.00
2. Development of Tribal Circuit with special focus on Eco-Tourism in Spiti 558.40
3. Manimahesh 320.00
4. Development of Eco-Tourism in H.P. 294.57
5. Development of Outer Seraj 304.00
6. Computerization/Production of CD-ROMs/VCDs 45.00
7. Mountain Biking Event 8.00
8. Himalayan Adventurte Race 4.00
9. Great Himalayan Marathon 4.00
10. Kullu Dusshera Festival 4.00
Total 1825.97

Orissa

1. Development of Mahanadi Central Heritage 315.00
2. Development of Kapildas-Joranda-Saptasajya 230.27
3. Development of Mahanadi River Heritage 568.16
4. Development of Sonepur-Khandapara-Narshinghpur-Cuttack-Paradeep 370.88
5. Development of Harishankar-Nrusinghnath-Ranipurjial as a Tourist Circuit 520.17
6. Development of Orissa Tourism Information Portal 42.50
7. Gurukul of Konrak Natya mandap rural tourism 40.00
Total 2086.98

Rajasthan

1. Development of flood-lighting of monuments in Rajasthan 640.00
Total 640.00

Uttar Pradesh

1. Development of Jaunpur as a Tourist destination 352.08
2. Development of Barsana in district-Mathura, Uttar Pradesh 255.50
Total 607.58

Uttarakhand

1. Pilgrim Circuit 333.82
2. Development of Dhanaulti-Chamba-Narendranagar in Uttarakhand 439.44
3. Development of Corbett National Park as a Tourist Circuit 481.60
4. Development of Munsyari as a Tourist Destination 362.00
5. International Heritage and Folk festival, Dehradun 3.48
Total 1620.34

West Bengal

1. Development of Eco-Tourism in Jhargram 533.24
2. Development of Bolpur-Bakreshwar-Nalhati as a tourist circuit llkin Birbhum Distt., West Bengal 519.68
3. Development of Indian Freedom Circuit on Mahatma's Path in West Bengal, Kolkata 181.69
4. Destination Darjeeling 396.00
5. Development of Kalimpong as a tourist destination 279.63
6. Development of Bakkhali, Frasergunj and Sagar Island in South 24- Parganas Distt. 376.55
7. Proposal for IT Project under Darjeeling Gorkha Hill Council, Darjeeling 45.00
8. West Bengal food and tourism festival 4.00
9. Vishnupur mela 4.00
10. West Bengal tourism festival 3.48
Total 2343.27

Sikkim

1. Development of Assam Lingzey to Khedi Trek Route including other tourist infrastructure in East Sikkim 263.27
2. Development of Community Park at Bojey and water Garden at Hee Pul under integrated Development of Tourism, West Sikkim. 344.44
3. Construction of flower show pavilion at Namchi in South Sikkim 378.56
4. Construction of Pony Track and other infrastructure at hanuman Tok, Tashi View point and Ganesh Tok, Gangtok, East Sikkim 344.00
5. Development of Car Park and meeting Hall at Samdruptse in , South Sikkim, 269.40
6. Construction of View Tower at Abkwakhaani and Foot Trail around Gantok, East Sikkim 154.50
7 Construction of Tourist Heritage Centre at Tek in South Sikkim 87.72
8. Development of Budeg Gadi (Fort) at Central Pandam in East Sikkim. 166.99
9. Development of Buddhist tourist circuit along Chochen Pheri, East Sikkim 177.89
10. Construction of interpretation hall, Meditation Hall, Reception & Tourism Amenity block, Budha Statue, Sikkim 349.00
11. Tourist Infrastructure under Jorethang Constituency in South Sikkim 262.36
12. Development of Nathula-Memencho-Kupup-Gnathang Tourist Circuit in East Sikkim 363.44
13. Development of lake and its surrounding at Gufa Dara, Hee Bermick, West Sikkim 151.96
14. Construction of Indian Himalayan Centre for Adventure and Eco-Tourism at Chemchey Phase-ii in South Sikkim 311.63
15. Development of Trekking Route from cabi to Tamzey including high altitude trek of Damboche Jaknthang and Thanguphu in North Sikkim 305.87
16. Tourist Reception Centre at Rangpo in East Sikkim 362.73
17. Village Chunbung rural tourism 39.96
18. Village Tingchim rural tourism 38.97
Total 4372.69

Arunachal Pradesh

1. Development of Tourist Lodge at Geku in Upper Siang 107.00
2. Develoepmetn of Tourist Complex at Tuting in Upper Siang in 286.80
3. Development of Tourist Circuit Itanagar Ziro-Daporji-Basar 607.90
4. Construction of tourist Complex at Mayudia lower Dibang 337.78
5. Development & Improvement of Geyakar Sinyi lake near Itanagar 340.80
6. Development of Mechuka Tourism Destination 353.24
Total 2033.52

Nagaland

1. Project for the year 2007-08 Tizu Kukha & adventure Destination 399.39
2. Information Technology 39.64
3. Development of tourist destination at Khensa 367.15
4. Awacheka rural tourism project 40.00
5. Changtongia rural tourism project 40.00
6. Leshumi rural tourism project 40.00
Total 926.18

Mizoram

1. Development of Southern tourist circuit Phase-II Luglai-Saichho- 565.34
Thenzwal-Alsuk-Hmuifang
2. Destination Development of Sakawardi 377.65
Total 942.99

Assam

1. Proposal for CFA under the scheme of tourist circuit development 484.34
"Baral Valley and Two Hill"
2. Development of Tourist Circuit(Western Assam Circuit) Dhubari- 398.35
Mahamaya-Barpeta-Hajo
3. Proposal for setting up of a Sound & Talatal Ghar, Sivasagar 126.83
Total 1009.52

Tripura

1. Durgabari rural tourism project 27.74
2. Devipur rural tourism project 38.84
3. Malaynagar rural tourism project 31.74

Total 98.32